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TAGS: BENC, EC
SUBJ: MAJOR PROJECT: POSSIBLE NPK FERTILIZER PLANT FOR GUAYAQUIL

REF: STATE 306718

1. CESAR MERINO-BARRIGA, MGR., "FERTISA - FERTILIZANTES ECUATORIANOS S.A., ", PO BOX 6148, GUAYAQUIL, CABLE "FERTISA", TELEX 3254(WORLD TRADERS DATA REPORT #73-039 TRANSMITTED TO USDOC BY GUAYAQUIL 201 OF FEBRUARY 15, 1973), INFORMS CONGEN FERTISA NOT PLANNING ANY NPK FERTILIZER PLANT. FERTISA PRESENTLY OPERATING A TVA-SYSTEM PLANT CAPABLE OF PRODUCING 50,000 TONS ANNUALLY WHILE TOTAL ANNUAL DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION IS ESTIMATED AT ONLY 25,000 TONS. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION MIGHT RPT MIGHT INCREASE TO 40,000/50,000 TONS WITHIN 3-4 YEARS.

2. INSTEAD, MERINO STATES, FERTISA INTERESTED RECEIVING OFFERS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF (A) A PLANT CAPABLE OF PRODUCING 100 TONS OF AMMONIUM SULPHATE EVERY 24 HOURS. FERTISA ALREADY EQUIPPED WITH COMPLETE 10,000 METRIC TON CAPACITY ANHYDROUS AMMONIA TERMINAL AND A SULPHURIC ACID PLANT PRODUCING 100/120 TONS EVERY 24 HOURS (B) A PLANT CAPABLE OF PRODUCING TENTATIVELY 10 TONS OF ALU-
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MINUM SULPHATE EVERY 24 HOURS. OF RAW MATERIALS TO BE NEEDED BY LATTER PLANT, SULPHURIC ACID AVAILABLE LOCALLY (SEE ABOVE); BAUXITE WOULD HAVE TO BE IMPORTED. NO STUDIES MADE ON EITHER PLANT.

3. 60 CYCLE 220/440 VOLT AC AVILABLE.

4. ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE DIRECTED TO ABOVE COMPANY
OFFICER AND ADDRESSES.
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